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For: **METHODS OF PLANARIZING STRUCTURES ON WAFERS AND SUBSTRATES BY POLISHING**

☒ **Continuation**
of prior application serial no. 09/259,125
filed on **February 26, 1999**
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- ☒ Copy of prior application no. 09/259,125 including 23 total pages containing the specification, claims and abstract
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- ☒ Declaration (copy from prior application no. 09/259,125)
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment with Marked-Up Version
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and PTO-1449 Form
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

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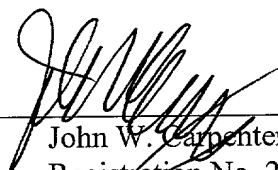
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| Independent Claims | 4 | - | 3= | 1 | x | \$80.00= | \$80.00 |
| Total Claims | 33 | - | 20= | 13 | x | \$18.00= | \$234.00 |
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